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### MEMORANDUM OF POINTS AND AUTHORITIES

Local Rule IA 11-6 addresses an attorney's request to withdraw as counsel after appearing in a case. It provides, in pertinent part:

> (b) No attorney may withdraw after appearing in a case except by leave of Court after notice has been served on the affected client and opposing counsel.

The client (Plaintiff) and opposing counsel have been given notice of this motion as explained in the attached declaration and certificate of service. Mr. Fishbein's withdrawal and the withdrawal of the law firm is unopposed by Plaintiff, and will not cause any delay or other material adverse effect on the interests of the parties as Snell & Wilmer L.L.P. will continue to act as Counsel of Record for Plaintiff.

As a result, good cause exists for allowing Michael D. Fishbein, Esq. and the law firm of Levin, Fishbein, Sedran & Berman to withdraw as Plaintiff's counsel in this matter. Based on the foregoing, withdrawal under the circumstances is justified and Plaintiff respectfully requests this Court grant the Motion.

Dated: December 21, 2016

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## DECLARATION OF V.R. BOHMAN, ESQ.

- 1. I am V.R. Bohman, counsel for Plaintiff and co-counsel with Mr. Fishbein in this matter. This Declaration is submitted in support of the Motion to Withdraw as Counsel by Michael D. Fishbein and the law firm of Levin, Fishbein, Sedran & Berman.
- 2. Mr. Fishbein and the law firm of Levin, Fishbein, Sedran & Berman have expressed a desire to withdraw from this case, and Plaintiff does not oppose the withdrawal of each. A copy of this motion has been provided to Plaintiff previously and is provided to opposing counsel contemporaneously with this filing.
- 3. Snell & Wilmer L.L.P. will continue to represent Plaintiff, ensuring that the withdrawal of Mr. Fishbein and the law firm of Levin, Fishbein, Sedran & Berman will not cause any delay or other material adverse impact to any party.
  - 4. This is my declaration, under penalty of perjury.

Executed on December 21, 2016.

V.R. BOHMAN, ESQ.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATED: December 23, 2016

C.W. HOFFMAN, JR

UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

# **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on December 21, 2016, I electronically transmitted the foregoing MOTION TO WITHDRAW AS COUNSEL BY MICHAEL D. FISHBEIN INDIVIDUALLY AND BY LAW FIRM OF LEVIN, FISHBEIN, SEDRAN & BERMAN to the Clerk's Office using the CM/ECF System for filing and transmittal of a Notice of Electronic Filing to all counsel in this matter; all counsel being registered to receive Electronic Filing.

/s/ Patricia Larsen

An employee of Snell & Wilmer L.L.P.